

	<b>JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY CABINET DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE POLICY AND PROCEDURES</b>	<b>REFERENCES: 505 KAR 1:160; 4-JCF-5C- 01; 3-JCRF-5C-01</b>
<b>CHAPTER: JUVENILE SEXUAL OFFENDER TREATMENT PROGRAM</b>		<b>AUTHORITY: KRS 15A.065 KRS 635.500</b>
<b>SUBJECT: Treatment Program for Declared Juvenile Sexual Offenders</b>		
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## **I. POLICY**

The treatment program for declared juvenile sex offenders (JSOs) shall be based on guiding principles that are consistent with an evidenced based framework that supports effective care. Department of Juvenile Justice Policy and Procedures (DJJPP) Chapter 8 and the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) Manual for the Treatment of Declared Juvenile Sexual Offenders shall only apply to declared JSOs and shall not apply to juveniles who have been adjudicated guilty of a sexual offense, but have not been declared a JSO.

## **II. APPLICABILITY**

This policy shall apply to all Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) programs, DJJ staff, and approved private providers or agencies providing services to declared JSOs.

## **III. DEFINITIONS**

Refer to Policy 800.

## **IV. PROCEDURES**

- A. DJJ shall develop and implement a juvenile sex offender treatment program for declared juvenile sex offenders. Reference KRS 635.500 635.510. The treatment program shall be established in the SOP Manual for the Treatment of Declared Juvenile Sexual Offenders.
- B. DJJ shall develop and implement a standardized process for the treatment of declared juvenile sexual offenders.

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**V. MONITORING MECHANISM**

Monitoring of this policy and corresponding standard operating procedures shall be conducted by the Division Director of Community and Mental Health Services and the Quality Assurance Branch on an annual basis.